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In response to the office action mailed September 16, 1996,
please enter the following amendments and remarks:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please insert at page 7, line 29, the following:

a¹ ~~-~~The growth-inhibitory hormone, or the gene encoding it,
is useful in the production of small animals for use in rearch
facilities where space is restricted, as pets for pet lovers with
limited quarters, and as livestock for farmers having small
tracts. ~~-~~

a² At page 12, line 8-10, replace "bGH...A112D" with ~~-~~wild-
type bGH (Fig. 4A), bGH mutant G119R (Fig. 4B), and bGH mutant
A112D (Fig. 4C) ~~-~~.

At page 12, line 28, replace "wide" with --wild--, "left"
with --Fig. 8A--, and "right" with --Fig. 8B--.

At page 12, lines 35-36, insert --(Fig. 9A)-- after "serum
glucose", --(Fig. 9B)-- after "urea/nitrogen", and --(Fig. 9C)--
after "triglyceride".

IN THE DRAWINGS

An amended Fig. 9 is proposed (see enclosure) in which the